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Subject: FW: Windsor-Detroit Bridge Blockade

Hi Joshua,

Sharing highlighted sentence below as a heads up for DMO/MO. This is based on OPP assessment yesterday that majority of protest vehicles appear to be passenger vehicles and not CVOR CMVs.

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I will pass this on to Windsor Police Command. On a briefing call with them earlier tonight it appeared that there were very few CMVs involved in the protest there and was predominately passenger vehicles.

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Good evening, thanks for your email. I'm in Ottawa leading our support plan for the Ottawa Police Service. The Major Incident Commander for West in support of Windsor is Supt. Dana Earley and I've copied her plus Chief Thib here for their awareness.

What you have raised is also very useful for Ottawa as well with some 400+ throughout the down town. I will be sharing with them in the morning. Can you advise if MTO has already been in contact Ottawa Police as I am aware they had previously reached out to MTO for assistance.

Carson Pardy
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On Feb. 9, 2022 10:26 p.m., "Boparai, Jasan (MTO)" <Jasan.Boparai@ontario.ca> wrote:

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Good Evening Chief Supt. Carson Pardy:

My apologies for the cold-call. I've been working with Chief Supt. Thompson and Supt. Eaton on some other files and have recently been asked to lead/ coordinate MTO's overall response at the provincial level related to various blockades in the province.

I am reaching out to you regarding the ongoing blockade at the Windsor-Detroit Bridge. We are wondering whether the OPP has been collecting CVOR information of trucks blocking the bridge crossing and if available, can this information can be shared with MTO. This will allow us to review and be better prepared to support the OPP as this situation continues to evolve. Would be great if we can discuss this further or if you can connect us with the appropriate OPP contact.

Thanks,

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